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Date: July 30, 2007

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 15, 2007, for which the threemonth shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire on August 15, 2007. While Applicants believe that no extension of time for response is necessary, should the Office determine that any additional fees are necessary for this response, the Commissioner is Appl. No. 10/025,256 Amendment and Response to the Office Action Dated May 15, 2007

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Amendment to the **Claims** is reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the Remarks that follow is respectfully requested.